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Plant This Fall for Beauty Next Spring

New, Better HARDY PHLOX

Plant This Fall, Bloom Next Summer

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Your Choice of These 7 Varieties, Alike or Assorted

Each 40¢ 3 for \$1.00
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- FM 517 ADONIS. Best red.
FM 508 BLUE BOY. Nearest blue.
FM 512 PINK CHARM. Fine pink.
FM 523 PINKETTE. (Not pictured.)
The magnificent new shell-pink.

World Peace

Pink Charm

Blue Boy

San Antonio

Purple Heart

FFM 527

Phlox Special

1 Each of These 6 Fine
Pictured Phlox
Plus 1 Pinkette

All 7 for \$1.95
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Fall
1953

GIFTS *With Your Order*

With orders from this fall 1953 catalog received by us not later than December 15, 1953, you may select Premiums as follows:

With every order of \$5.00, you may select any One of the Eight Premiums listed below.

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With each additional \$5.00, you may select One more Premium.

No. 1—30 Dutch Iris, mixed, worth \$1.20.

No. 2— 8 Parrot Tulips, worth \$1.00.

No. 3—10 Tulips, Rainbow, worth \$1.00.

No. 4—50 Muscari Hyacinths, worth \$1.25.

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No. 6—20 Giant Crocus, worth \$1.00.

No. 7— 4 Mrs. R. O. Backhouse Daffodils, worth \$1.00.

No. 8— 3 Japanese Iris, worth \$1.00.

The Premiums you select must be written on your order or none will be sent. Also, in case we should run short of some items, we reserve the right to change premiums, sending you stock of equal or greater value.

FRUIT TREES, SHRUBS, ETC.

For Fall Planting

If you want Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Perennials for fall planting, you can order from our Spring 1953 Catalog. Of course, some items like Cannas, Dahlias, Gladiolus, Strawberries, Clematis, and a few other items cannot be planted successfully until spring. A copy of our 1953 Spring Catalog will be sent free upon request.

FREE PLANTING GUIDE

With every order we send a 24-page Planting Guide which tells you in a simple way how to plant so that if you have never done any planting you can have success.

INTER-STATE'S GUARANTEE

Every item in this catalog carries our usual guarantee that it must be satisfactory to you. If it is not, just return at once and we will either replace free of charge or refund the amount you paid us.

SALES TAX

Customers living in Iowa will add 2% to the amount of their order.

HOW TO ORDER

Write plainly your full name and complete address, street or rural route and also zone number if you live in a city which is zoned. You can send check, money order, draft or currency. But if you send currency wrap it carefully and register your letter. **WE DO NOT SHIP C.O.D.**

EVERY ITEM IN THIS CATALOG IS POSTPAID

**Enjoy These Beautiful Flowers in Your Yard
Next Spring**

**Take Time Now to Look Over the Values in
This Fall Catalog**

Madonna Lilies, Poppies and Iris are ready for shipping early. Shrubs are not matured enough until October 15th. Bulbs and Lilies are ready in between these. So if you get part of your order, remember that the balance will come as soon as it is ready.

Mount Hood DAFFODIL

FB 271. The best white trumpet Daffodil, Mount Hood, will be an immediate sensation in your garden. When first open the trumpet is a soft primrose, turning cream and then becoming pure white. The perianth is snow-white of strong substance, lasting for many days. We believe this is the finest White Trumpet Daffodil and if you are not completely satisfied, we will send you without charge, any item you select equal to your cost of this outstanding new Daffodil. Plant this fall, 7 inches deep, a foot apart. Perfectly hardy, they will come up year after year, increasing in number and beauty. Will bloom next spring, lovely in your garden or graceful in a bouquet. **Postpaid.**

Each 50c 3 for \$1.25 6 for \$2.35 12 for \$4.25



Mount Hood
Best White Trumpet Daffodil

FB 275 *Deluxe* Daffodil Mixture Postpaid

4 for 50c

9 for \$1.00

25 for \$2.65

1 Insurpassable Free

50 for \$4.85

2 Insurpassable Free

100 for \$8.65

4 Insurpassable Free

Insurpassable Described on Page 4.

Inter-State's Deluxe DAFFODIL MIXTURE

FB 275. Thousands have bought this mixture from us and many have written telling how well pleased they were. This collection contains all the different types, yellow trumpets, bicolors, whites, large cups, short cups, doubles, hybrids, etc. Imagine the beautiful flowers pictured above blooming in your own yard, adding so much gorgeous color in early spring. This is truly America's finest Daffodil mixture. You will find blooms as lovely as those listed by name on pages 4 and 5 but at a fraction of the cost. Plant freely this fall for next spring you will wish you had more. Plant them in beds or borders, in front and among the shrubs, trees, perennials, in the corners. Plant them as early as you can. If you plant late, be sure and mulch the first winter. We guarantee this mixture to please you when you get them and also when they bloom. Once planted they will come up year after year without any attention.

INTER-STATE'S

At one time the word Daffodil meant the long trumpet Narcissus. But now Daffodil and Narcissus mean exactly the same thing, all types of Narcissus. Every home should have some. They are so easy to grow and last a lifetime, coming up year after year. They multiply so each year you get more and more blooms. Plant them early this fall, 7 inches deep and a foot apart. Mulch lightly the first winter. They thrive in full sun or part shade. Lovely planted in the shrub border, in front and among trees, as background for perennials. Their fragrant, cheerful flowers are so welcome in the early spring, lovely in the garden and fine for cutting. They can also be potted for indoor bloom. These are the new, finer Daffodils. We guarantee them to please you both when you get them and also when they bloom. **Postpaid.**

FB 266 INSURPASSABLE. (Yellow Trumpet.) The finest and largest golden yellow trumpet Daffodil we have ever seen. Flowers are giant size, fragrant, perfect form and freely produced. Their size and beauty will astonish you. Our bulbs are the finest and largest Holland-grown D. N. No. 1, and that means the finest you can get.

Each 45c 3 for \$1.15 6 for \$2.15 12 for \$3.95

FB 263 SCARLET LEADER. (Incomparabilis.) This new variety ranks as one of the finest large red-cup Daffodils. Perianth opens cream becoming snow-white with large orange-red cup. Long-lasting, free-blooming. Finest Double-Nose No. 1 bulbs.

Each 40c 3 for \$1.00 6 for \$1.75 12 for \$2.95

FB 261 FORTUNE. (Incomparabilis.) One of the greatest large cup Daffodils of all time. Large flowers of yellow with extra large cup of glowing orange (not as red as pictured). To see it, is to want it. Blooms freely. Flowers last unusually long. Finest large bulbs.

Each 25c 3 for 65c 6 for \$1.15 12 for \$1.95

THE PINK DAFFODIL, MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE. (Leedsi.) We are now pricing this famous Daffodil so that thousands can have them in their own gardens. Petals are ivory-white with a beautifully proportioned trumpet of apricot-pink changing to shell-pink at the fringed edge. Very long lasting. These are the finest quality and largest Holland-grown, D. N. No. 1 bulbs.

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
FB 267 Jumbo Bulbs	\$0.30	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$2.50
FB 267A Large Bulbs .....	.25	.60	1.10	1.95

**See Page 2
for Premiums**



Insurpassable



Scarlet
Leader

Fortune



The Pink Daffodil
Mrs. R. O. Backhouse

DAFFODILS

FB 262 CHEERFULNESS. (Double.) Lovely, fragrant, creamy white, double flowers resemble Roses. There are several on each stem. Try a few this year, next fall you will want more. Each 15c 3 for 40c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.25 25 for \$2.15

FB 284 DUKE OF WINDSOR. (Incomparabilis.) This new variety is without doubt one of the finest of all Daffodils. It belongs to the new Weatherproof strain, withstanding sun, rain and wind far better. The flower is much larger than pictured and far more attractive. Pure white overlapping petals of great substance and extremely large ruffled cup of purest yellow, fragrant. The finest and largest Holland-grown D. N. No. 1 bulbs, guaranteed to please you when you get them and also when they bloom. Will be sold by the millions when enough are grown.

Each 50c 3 for \$1.35 6 for \$2.50 12 for \$4.50

KING ALFRED. (Yellow Trumpet.) Pictured on page 24. Everybody knows and loves this grand Daffodil.

MOUNT HOOD. (White Trumpet.) Pictured on page 2.

FB 272 PRESIDENT LEBRUN. (Bicolor Trumpet.) This new variety is better and larger than Queen of Bicolors. White perianth with yellow trumpet. Fragrant, perfect form, very beautiful. The best bicolor. A rare bargain at this price. Largest D. N. No. 1 Holland-grown bulbs.

Each 35c 3 for 90c 6 for \$1.65 12 for \$2.95

FB 265 THALIA. (Triandrus.) Unusually beautiful and attractive. Called the Orchid-flowered Narcissus as the lovely, pure white flowers resemble Orchids. 3 or 4 flowers on a single stem. They add an artistic touch to any bouquet and are lovely in the garden. Fine for corsages.

Each 25c 3 for 70c 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25

Four of the World's Finest Daffodils

Duke of Windsor
Insurpassable

Mount Hood
Pres. Lebrun

FFB 278. 8 Bulbs, 2 each of all 4 varieties, for \$2.65

FFB 277. 16 Bulbs, 4 each of all 4 varieties, for 4.75

Largest, Best Quality, Double-Nose, No. 1 Bulbs

Duke of Windsor



President Lebrun

FFB 279 Garden of Daffodils

- 1 Cheerfulness
- 1 Duke of Windsor
- 1 Fortune
- 1 King Alfred
- 1 Mount Hood
- 1 President Lebrun
- 1 Pink Daffodil
- 1 Scarlet Leader
- 1 Thalia

**All 9 for
Only \$2.15**

1 Insurpassable,
worth 45c included
without extra cost.
(\$3.30 total value).



Cheerfulness

Thalia



See
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for
Premiums



SPRING BEAUTY DARWIN TULIPS

Five of Holland's Finest

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| 1. Queen of the Night.
Near black. | 4. Sunkist. Yellow. |
| 2. Mount Erebus. White. | 5. Red Signal. Red. |
| 3. Chappaqua. Cerise. | All described on page 7. |

FFB 306—25 Large Bulbs, 5 each of all
5 varieties above, for\$2.45
FFB 307—50 Large Bulbs, 10 each of all
5 varieties above, for 4.45
FFB 308—100 Large Bulbs, 20 each of all
5 varieties above, for 7.95

These are Holland's finest Large No. 1 Bulbs, each variety labeled. Postpaid.

Triple Guarantee: Guaranteed to please you when you receive the bulbs, guaranteed to bloom next spring and guaranteed satisfactory when they bloom. Described fully on page 7. Plant a large bed of these Five Superior Tulips at these low prices. Flowers come on long stems and are even larger than pictured.

NEW CLUSTER-FLOWERED TULIPS

Each Bulb Produces 3 to 5 Flowers on a Single Stem.

WALLFLOWER

Brilliant Mahogany—Much Larger than Pictured

FB 312 WALLFLOWER. One of the most spectacular new Tulips. The flowers, larger than pictured, are brilliant mahogany with yellow base. Several blooms on a single, branching stem giving a bouquet effect. This brilliantly colored Tulip will be a sensation in your garden and also in a bouquet. 27 inches tall. **Postpaid.**

3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

FB 311 ROSE MIST. A fine, new cluster-flowered introduction, 3 to 5 flowers on a single, branching stem, 26 inches tall. The flowers open bluish tinged cerise becoming a solid bright rose-pink. You will be delighted with this beautiful, unusual, new Tulip. **Postpaid.**

3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

CLUSTER-FLOWER SPECIALS, Postpaid

FFB 314. 6 Wallflower and 6 Rose Mist for only \$1.85

FFB 315. 12 Wallflower and 12 Rose Mist for only 2.95



Wallflower

Make Your Own Selection from this List of Fine Tulips

These are all the long stem, large flowering Tulips, Ideal, Darwin, Cottage, Breeder (except Keizerskroon). Finest Quality, Large Size No. 1 bulbs, Holland Grown. **Postpaid.**

FB 320 BLUE EAGLE. This should be named Purple Eagle because the flowers are a rich purple on strong 29-inch stems. Very showy. 3 for 45c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.35 25 for \$2.35 100 for \$7.95

FB 367 CHAPPAQUA. A truly magnificent new Tulip. Large flowers on tall graceful 32-inch stems. Color rose-cerise, far more beautiful than pictured. One of the world's finest new Tulips. Each 30c 3 for 75c 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25 25 for \$3.95

FB 321 CITY OF HAARLEM. For many years this has been a favorite rich crimson. 26 inches. 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

FB 324 DILLENBURG. Striking flowers of rose, orange and scarlet to wind up the Tulip season. 28 inches. 3 for 45c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.35 25 for \$2.35 100 for \$7.95

FB 327 GEORGES GRAPPE. The finest lavender we know. Huge flowers on stately 32-inch stems. 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

FB 335 HELEN MADISON. The bright cherry-red flowers certainly are a joy in the garden and when cut. Very large flowers on strong 28-inch stems. Each 30c 3 for 75c 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25 25 for \$3.95

FB 337 ILSE WERNER. Glowing carmine with a tinge of burgundy which gives it an unusually attractive color. Large blooms on strong 27-inch stems. New and scarce. A beauty. Each 30c 3 for 75c 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25 25 for \$3.95

FB 343 KEIZERSKROON. This blooms early. Large flowers of bright red with broad golden edge. 15 inches. 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

FB 350 MARSHALL HAIG. A solid bed of this is a marvelous sight because of the very bright red color. 28 inches.

3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

FB 352 MOUNT EREBUS. This and Ivory Glory are our two finest white Tulips. Large flowers, purest snow-white, yellow anthers. 29 inches.

3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

FB 360 PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. Very popular, large bright pink. 28 inches. 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85

FB 359 QUEEN OF THE NIGHT. The color is a velvety deep maroon-purple tinged black, actually much darker than pictured. The darkest of all Tulips. Striking in the garden and when cut. 28 inches.

3 for 45c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.35 25 for \$2.35 100 for \$7.95

FB 330 RED SIGNAL. The color is bright crimson-red that catches the eye as far as you can see. A bed or border is simply outstanding. One of the greatest of all reds. 26 inches.

3 for 50c 6 for 85c 12 for \$1.50 25 for \$2.65 100 for \$8.65

FB 364 SUNKIST. This and Golden Measure and Treasure Island are the 3 finest yellow Tulips we have ever seen. Sunkist is a gleaming golden yellow, large flowers on strong 27-inch stems.

3 for 50c 6 for 85c 12 for \$1.50 25 for \$2.65 100 for \$8.65

FB 365 TREASURE ISLAND. The finest new yellow Tulip, an Ideal Darwin. Huge flowers of primrose-yellow outside and rich, shiny yellow inside creating a unique, charming two-tone effect. The flowers have great substance withstanding wind and rain, and will not fade, and last unusually long. Only once or twice in a decade is a new Tulip so outstandingly created. 28 inches.

Each 60c 2 for \$1.00

REMBRANDT TULIPS

FB 491. Rembrandts bloom at the same time as the Darwin, Cottage and Breeder Tulips. Instead of solid colors the flowers are a combination of colors in striking patterns. We offer a special mixture of red and white, blue-violet and white, maroon and yellow, purple and white, mahogany and gold, etc. You will be charmed by the colorful display they produce in your garden. Many people have never seen them. They have a picturesque beauty of their own. Flowers are much larger than pictured. **Postpaid.**

3 for 50c 6 for 90c 12 for \$1.65 25 for \$2.75



Exotic PARROT TULIPS

Unusual - Attractive

At New, Lower Prices

The large flowers are fringed and waved, entirely different from all other Tulips. They bloom at the same time as the regular tall-stemmed Tulips. Very fine for cutting as they make artistic bouquets. These are the best quality top size bulbs imported by us from the leading Holland growers. If you already have some, no doubt you will want some more. If you have never had them in your garden, be sure and plant some this fall. We guarantee them to please you when you receive the bulbs and also when they bloom. Plant 7 to 9 inches deep, 6 inches apart. **Postpaid.**

Fantasy

FB 373 BLUE PARROT. Huge flowers of striking blue (bluer than pictured) on strong 24-inch stems.
Each 20c 3 for 45c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.25

Sunshine

FB 375 FANTASY. Very popular, sparkling pink with green markings on 20-inch stems.
Each 20c 3 for 45c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.25

FB 376 ORANGE FAVORITE. Pictured on page 9. This new variety has very large, fragrant, glowing orange flowers on strong 20-inch stems. A center of attraction.
Each 20c 3 for 45c 6 for 75c 12 for \$1.25

FB 377 SUNSHINE. Large bright golden yellow flowers on 14-inch stems. This will be one of the most attractive flowers in your garden.
Each 25c 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85

FB 378 THERESE. Very large, bright red flowers on strong 24-inch stems. We like this much better than Red Champion.
Each 25c 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85

Blue Parrot

Black Parrot

The Sensational New Parrot Tulip

FB 374 BLACK PARROT. This is the new Parrot Tulip which has created such a sensation in Europe. Not many in the United States have even seen it because it has been so scarce and high priced. But we were fortunate in securing some from the largest grower in Holland. Large flowers of velvety, intense maroon-black on strong stems nearly 2 feet tall. This rare Tulip is today the most sought after variety in Holland. You can have it in your own garden to show your friends. It is very seldom that we get so enthused over a new variety as we have this one. These are Holland's Top Size bulbs. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.95



Black
Parrot

PARROT COLLECTION

All Postpaid and
Guaranteed Satisfactory

Blue Parrot
Fantasy

Orange Favorite
Sunshine

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FFB 380. 10 Bulbs, 2 each above 5 kinds, for \$1.95
1 New Black Parrot included without extra charge.

FFB 381. 15 Bulbs, 3 each above 5 kinds, for \$2.45
2 New Black Parrot included without extra charge.

FFB 382. 30 Bulbs, 6 each above 5 kinds, for \$3.95
3 New Black Parrot included without extra charge.

FFB 383. 60 Bulbs, 12 each above 5 kinds, for \$7.45
6 New Black Parrot included without extra charge.

Be sure
to select
your premiums
as shown on
page 2

PARROT TULIPS

MIXED COLORS

FB 379. This is a fine mixture of colors, blue, pink, red, yellow, orange. Imported by us in car lots direct from the growers in Holland. First Quality, No. 1 Bulbs, guaranteed satisfactory. **Postpaid.**

6 for	\$0.75
12 for	1.35
25 for	2.45
50 for	4.35



Orange Favorite

Inter-State's Finest

FB 347 MARK ANTHONY. (Ideal Darwin.) This new variety is far more attractive and much larger than pictured below. Color is rich ruby-purple with a glowing sheen that makes it outstanding in any planting. By far the best of this color. Long lasting, withstands sun, rain and wind. 28 inches. **Postpaid.**
Each 25c 3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25



Queen
of the
North



Mark Anthony

FB 351 QUEEN OF THE NORTH.

(Cottage.) Above. The immense flower is creamy white and clear pink. A beautiful, impressive Tulip. Grows 25 inches tall. Everybody loves it. **Postpaid.**

Each 20c; 3 for 55c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.45

FB 388 IVORY GLORY. (Cottage.)

Below. Huge flowers, even larger than pictured below. They open ivory-white becoming satiny snow-white. Heavy texture so they last unusually long and withstand sun, rain and wind. This new variety is the finest white

Tulip we have ever seen. 26 inches tall. **Postpaid.** Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.25.



Ivory
Glory

Six of the World's Finest

**Plant These If You
Want the Finest Tulip
Garden in Your Neighborhood**

Would you like to have a bed of Tulips so fine that everybody who sees them will exclaim: "My, those are the largest, most beautiful Tulips I ever saw!" That is exactly why we made up this Six Finest Collection. In our trials we have over 100 Tulip varieties. We selected these six as being the most outstanding, the finest of all. Big flowers with marvelous colors that do not fade, on strong stems. Yes, they cost a little more than ordinary Tulips but we promise you that when they bloom you will be so well pleased, so delighted that you will wish you had planted more.

We send you Top-Size bulbs, the finest quality produced by the best growers in Holland. Plant them this fall 6 inches apart, 8 inches deep. A space 10 feet long and 2½ feet wide is room enough for 100 bulbs. If you do not want the entire collection, select just varieties you wish at the prices shown for each kind.

Gold Medal Tulips

FB 355 SMILING QUEEN. (Cottage.) Pictured below. The finest, most beautiful pink Tulip ever introduced. Lasts unusually long and gets brighter instead of fading. Very scarce. Costs more and well worth it. 29 inches. Postpaid.

Each 30c 3 for 75c 6 for \$1.35 12 for \$2.40



Smiling Queen



Golden Measure

FB 332 GOLDEN MEASURE. (Cottage.) Above. This new variety is the finest, brightest yellow we know. Large, fragrant flowers, superb form. 26 inches. Postpaid.

Each 20c; 3 for 55c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25

FB 326 ECLIPSE. (Darwin.) Below. The finest velvety deep crimson, the same rich color as the great Rose, Crim-

son Glory. Flowers are even larger than pictured below. So sturdy they last unusually long, through sun, rain and wind. 28 in. Postpaid. Each 20c; 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.15



Eclipse

INTER-STATE'S GOLD MEDAL TULIPS

TRIPLE GUARANTEE

These bulbs are guaranteed to bloom next spring, guaranteed to please you when you receive them and when they bloom. They are our very finest. Postpaid.

**FFB 300—12 Bulbs, 2 each
of all 6 finest varieties, for \$2.45**

Included without extra charge, 2 Ilse Werner worth 60c
(See page 7)

**FFB 301—24 Bulbs, 4 each
of all 6 finest varieties, for \$4.35**

Included without extra charge, 2 Treasure Island worth \$1.00
(See page 7)

**FFB 302—36 Bulbs, 6 each
of all 6 finest varieties, for \$5.95**

Included without extra charge, 3 Treasure Island worth \$1.50
(See page 7)

**FFB 303—72 Bulbs, 12 each
of all 6 finest varieties, for \$10.95**

Included without extra charge, 6 Treasure Island worth \$3.00
(See page 7)

Inter-State's Famous Tall Giant Rainbow Tulip Collection

AMERICA'S FINEST COLLECTION of MIXED TULIPS Postpaid

TRIPLE GUARANTEE

We believe this is America's finest mixed Tulip Collection. It contains all the popular colors and many unusual. It is triply guaranteed.

1. Guaranteed to please you when you receive bulbs.
2. Guaranteed to bloom next spring.
3. Guaranteed to please you when they bloom.

Customers from coast to coast have written us telling how delighted they are with this fine collection. We do not believe there is a finer one in all America. It is strictly a high class, hand-made mixture, made up by us from fine named varieties. It contains all the gorgeous Tulip colors from white to black, with many shades of pink, red, yellow, lavender, purple, orange and the lovely blends. We include the richly colored Darwins, the exquisite pastel Cottage, the huge bold Breeders, the strikingly beautiful Triumphs, some of the graceful Lily-shaped. WE DO NOT INCLUDE any of the Early Single or Early Double Tulips.

The flowers are large, on tall stems and bloom here ordinarily in late April and early May. The bulbs are the finest quality, large No. 1 size, imported by us in carload lots direct from the Holland growers. If you bought these very same bulbs by name, they would cost you much more.

Tulips are so easy to grow and so colorful in the early spring. Plant them in full sun or partial shade, 7 to 9 inches deep, 6 inches apart. Plant plenty for beauty outdoors and also for bouquets. You will be thrilled by the sparkling display of brilliant colors when they bloom next spring.

FFB 397 **100** Large Bulbs for **\$7.95**

We will include without extra charge 2 Abraham Lincoln, worth \$2.00.

FFB 396 **50** Large Bulbs for **\$4.35**

We will include without extra charge 1 Abraham Lincoln, worth \$1.00.

FFB 395 **25 Large Bulbs for \$2.35.**

Free—2 Rocket (page 15), worth 70c.

FFB 394 **10 Large Bulbs for \$1.00.**

Free—1 Rocket (page 15), worth 35c.

FB 318 ABRAHAM LINCOLN

A magnificent new Ideal Darwin Red Tulip, the greatest new red Tulip introduced in many years. It is a late bloomer, building up into a large, perfectly formed flower of the purest crimson-red we ever saw, brighter red and far more beautiful than we can picture. The flower has excellent substance, broad petaled, large and does not fade, lasting many days after other varieties are gone. It is carried upright on strong stems 28 inches tall. The supply is short, so order early and be among the first in America to enjoy this great, new red Tulip. **Postpaid.**

Each \$1.00 3 for \$2.50 6 for \$4.50

Abraham Lincoln
World's Finest
New Red Tulip

Poppies



Crimson
Pompon

These are the large-flowering, hardy, Hybrid Oriental Poppies far superior to the common orange-red. Our field-grown, No. 1 plants will bloom next spring. Plant them early this fall and mulch with straw, lawn rakings or excelsior after the ground freezes.

FM 377 BUCKEYE RED. Large flowers of rich crimson. Free bloomer and exceptionally vigorous grower. 30 inches.

FM 374 CHEERIO. Our favorite pink. Exquisite shell-pink with cerise blotch instead of the usual black. Free-blooming. 22 inches.

FM 392 CRIMSON POMPON. Very attractive, fully double flowers of rich crimson. First to bloom in the spring. Vigorous grower and free bloomer. 22 inches.

FM 386 GOLD OF OPHIR. Golden orange, the nearest yellow of all Poppies. Gets better as it gets older. 24 inches.

FM 380 HELEN ELIZABETH. Lovely LaFrance-pink with crepy texture and absolutely no spots or blotches. Free blooming. 26 inches.

FM 381 HENRI CAYEUX IMPROVED. Very large flowers of burgundy-purple. Develops color best in light shade. 28 inches.

FM 393 PERRY'S WHITE. Fine satiny white with crimson-maroon blotch at base of each petal. 26 inches.

FM 394 RIDGEWOOD BEAUTY. Ruffled flowers of shiny waxed pink. 26 inches.

FM 384 SALMON GLOW. Strikingly double flowers of salmon-orange, almost as large and double as Peonies. Vigorous, healthy grower and free-blooming. 30 inches.

FM 385 SASS GIANT RED. Huge flowers, nearly a foot wide, of flaming scarlet-red. Very vigorous grower and free bloomer. Extra strong stems about 3 feet tall. Certainly commands attention.

Prices on All 10 Above Hybrid Poppies

Alike or Assorted, Your Choice, Postpaid

Each 70c; 3 for \$1.85; 6 for \$3.45

IMPORTANT—WINTER MULCH

All Lilies, Poppies, Daffodils, Hyacinths, Dutch Iris, Phlox and all stock planted in the fall should have a winter mulch of some loose material like lawn rakings, straw, excelsior, to prevent alternate freezing and thawing.

**Poppy
Special**

1 Crimson Pompon
1 Salmon Glow
1 Sass Giant Red

FFM 398

All 3 \$1.65

for
Postpaid

Japanese Iris (Kaempferi)

The Rainbow Iris



FM 182. Japanese Iris in the early days were called Children of the Gods, because of their gorgeous colors. Few plants can compare with them for spectacular beauty. They bloom in June and July after the other Iris are through. Large, flat flowers, some as large as dinner plates, atop strong stems around 3 feet tall. The colors range from white through shades of lavender, blue and purple, also yellow, pink, rose and red. The foliage itself is attractive. When planting cover the crown with two inches of soil. Likes a sunny spot, rich soil and abundant moisture, especially early in the season and during blooming time. They like an acid soil (the average soil is generally acid) and will not tolerate lime. They are grown from coast to coast. We offer these in a fine mixture of colors. Mulch them after the ground freezes.

Each 40c; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid

THE NEW GIANT PEONY-FLOWERED TULIPS

Amazingly Beautiful and Different—Larger Than Pictured

Tall Stems—Bloom Same Time as Darwin Tulips

Peony Flowered Tulip Collection

Bonanza	Eros	Mount Tacoma	Rocket
FFB 390. 8 Bulbs	(2 each above 4 varieties)	for . \$1.50	
FFB 391. 12 Bulbs	(3 each above 4 varieties)	for . 1.95	
FFB 392. 24 Bulbs	(6 each above 4 varieties)	for . 3.65	
FFB 393. 48 Bulbs	(12 each above 4 varieties)	for . 6.95	

Be sure and plant some of these new type Tulips with fully double flowers which are larger than pictured. Until you see them you can not realize how strikingly attractive they are and how closely they resemble the 'big double Peonies. They bloom on strong stems at the same time as Darwin, Cottage and Breeder Tulips. They are entirely different from the short stemmed, semi-double Tulips which bloom earlier. These are the finest quality Holland-grown bulbs and will create a sensation in your garden. **Postpaid.**

FB 384 BONANZA. New bright red with wide golden border. 18 inches tall.

Each 20c; 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$2.95

FB 389 CARMINE BEAUTY. Beautiful new carmine-rose. 18 inches. Each 25c; 3 for 70c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$3.95

FB 387 MOUNT TACOMA. Lovely white. 20 inches.

Each 20c; 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$2.95

FB 385 ROCKET. This magnificent new variety has proven to be a great success, even more strikingly beautiful and attractive than we promised. Big, double flowers, much larger than pictured, of the loveliest glowing crimson-scarlet. Without doubt it is the finest new Giant Peony-Flowered Tulip introduced in many years. As soon as there are enough bulbs, we predict it will become the most popular of all. A clump, a bed or border of them will bring you back time and time again. Like all the Peony-Flowered Tulips it lasts an unusually long time. The supply in Holland was very short so we advise ordering early. When we are sold out we can not get any more this fall. 18 inches.

Each 35c; 3 for 90c; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75

Carmine Beauty



Bonanza



Mount Tacoma



Rocket





Fragrant HYACINTHS

Everybody loves Hyacinths. They are so fragrant, a bed of them will perfume your yard. A small bouquet will perfume a room. And the colors are so beautiful. They bloom early, just ahead of the Tulips. Come up year after year without any special care. Plant them this fall 6 inches deep, 6 inches apart. In the northern states a winter mulch is beneficial. They are also very fine for potting and indoor bloom. These bulbs are imported by us direct from the best growers in Holland. We handle the larger 15-16 cm. bedding size bulbs which give larger and better blooms than the smaller 14-15 cm. size. **Postpaid.**

FFB 410 HYACINTH SPECIAL

2 Light Blue 2 Red
2 Dark Blue 2 Yellow
2 Pink 2 White

All 12 Bulbs for \$1.95

Your Choice of the Following Hyacinth Colors—Postpaid:

FB 400 Light Blue
FB 401 Dark Blue.
FB 402 Yellow.

FB 403 White.
FB 404 Pink.
FB 405 Red.

3 Bulbs for \$0.75
6 Bulbs for 1.25

12 Bulbs for \$2.25
24 Bulbs for 3.95

Giant CROCUS

**Pictured Below
Actual Size**

The flowers of these new Crocus are pictured actual size. These are the newer larger flowered kinds. They bloom real early in the spring, sometimes peeping through the snow. They grow 6 to 8 inches tall. Plant them this fall in sun or shade, 2 to 2½ inches deep, 3 to 4 inches apart, in solid beds or borders. You can fill the bare spots around the shrubs, trees and perennials. We import these from Holland and the crop is very short this season. **Postpaid.**

FB 460 Giant Crocus, Mixed Colors.

10 for 65c; 25 for \$1.25; 50 for \$2.15; 100 for \$3.85

FB 450 Blue Giant Crocus. FB 451 Purple Giant Crocus.

10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00; 50 for \$1.65; 100 for \$2.95

FB 452 Striped Giant Crocus. FB 453 White Giant Crocus.

10 for 75c; 25 for \$1.40; 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.65

FB 454 Yellow Giant Crocus.

10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.65; 50 for \$2.95; 100 for \$5.75

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Bleeding Heart

BLEEDING HEART

FM 58. Bleeding Hearts are perfectly hardy and easy to grow. Thrive in shady places where few plants will grow. Especially fine for the north side. The rich green cut-leaved foliage is itself attractive. Then for several weeks in the spring the lovely heart-shaped pink flowers hang along the graceful arching branches. Plant them this fall covering the eyes with about 2 inches of soil. They become larger and more beautiful each passing year.

Each 65c; 2 for \$1.25, Postpaid



Mertensia

MERTENSIA, Virginia Bluebells

FM 209. Pictured above. Fall is the ideal time to plant these Bluebells. Set them 2 to 2½ inches deep and mulch lightly the first winter. They will grow in sun but prefer shade. Do fine among trees and shrubs and perennials. Grow from coast to coast and come up year after year without special care. Their blue flowers with pink buds are so attractive in early spring.

Each 30c; 5 for \$1.00, Postpaid

DUTCH IRIS

These are pictured and described on the envelope. Be sure and plant some of these this fall. Mulch the ground before it is frozen and leave on all winter. Next spring you will be astonished and delighted with the beautiful flowers.



Scilla Campanulata

Spirit of Spring COLLECTION

FFB 461

25 Giant Crocus, Mixed Worth \$1.25
25 Muscari Armeniacum Worth .75
10 Tulips, Rainbow . . . Worth 1.00
9 Daffodils, Mixed . . . Worth 1.00

All 69 Bulbs for Only

\$2.95 Postpaid

We will include with each collection 3 Hyacinths, our choice, worth 75c.

SCILLA CAMPANULATA

These bloom at the same time as the Tulips. When once planted they multiply, require no care, come up year after year. Plant in the borders, around trees or shrubs. Your choice of following colors, POSTPAID.

FB 170 Blue **FB 171** Pink **FB 172** White

6 for	.....	\$0.50
12 for	.....	.90
25 for	.....	1.50
100 for	.....	5.50

GRAPE HYACINTHS

(Muscari Armeniacum)

FB 425. This new variety has larger flowers and deeper color than the common Heavenly Blue. Ideal for low borders, along the walks, drives, for edging beds, among shrubs, trees or perennials, in the rock garden and among the Iris and Peonies. Bloom with the large, tall Tulips. Grow 6 inches tall with dark blue flowers shaped like small bells. Hardy, easy to grow, in sun or part shade. Without any care, they multiply and come up year after year. Plant this fall 2 to 3 inches deep and 3 inches apart. Will bloom next spring and many years to come. Postpaid.

12 for 45c; 25 for 75c; 5 for \$1.25;
100 for \$1.95

Muscari Armeniacum



Mons.
Jules Elie

INTER-STATE'S 3 GIANT PEONIES

Here are 3 fine Peonies with huge double blooms pictured actual size. They are unequalled for Memorial Day. All Peonies are Postpaid.

FM 633 FESTIVA MAXIMA. Rates 9.3. Early. Immense flowers of purest white, inner petals flecked crimson (not shown in picture). The most popular white Peony....Each \$0.75

FM 651 KARL ROSENFELD. Rates 8.8. Immense crimson blooms freely produced every year.....Each \$1.00

FM 669 MONS. JULES ELIE. Rates 9.2. Huge pink flowers. Nationally recognized as being one of the greatest of all Peonies.....Each \$1.00

Peonies are easy to grow. Plant them this fall in a sunny spot, 3 to 4 feet apart, covering the eyes with 2 inches of soil. Come up year after year for a lifetime. A copy of our Special Peony List offering nearly 100 varieties sent Free upon request.

Festiva
Maxima

Karl Rosenfield

FFM 605

GIANT COLLECTION
1 each of above 3 Peonies for only \$1.75

Three fine Peonies at a new low price.

Postpaid

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Premiums

FAMOUS PEONIES

FM 671 OFFICIALIS RUBRA

Rates 8.6. Very early. Pictured on the envelope. The first Peony to bloom, especially fine for Memorial Day. Large double flowers of bright crimson-scarlet. Each \$1.50

FM 646 INTER-STATE YELLOW

Large outer petals of light pink with full anemone-type center of rich yellow. Very free bloomer, attractive and different in the garden and fine for cutting... Each \$1.25

FFM 703

Queen Special

Flowers are much larger than pictured.

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| 1 Mary Brand. Early midseason-red. | \$2.75 |
| 1 Queen of Hamburg. Midseason glowing rose. | |
| 1 Tourangelle. Late light pink. | |
| Postpaid | |
- With each collection we will also include Free 1 Interstate Yellow worth \$1.25.

FFM 601

COMBINATION SPECIAL

One Each of All 6 Pictured Peonies

All 6 for

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| 1 Festiva Maxima | 1 Mary Brand | \$3.75 |
| 1 Karl Rosenfield | 1 Queen of Hamburg | |
| 1 Mons. Jules Elie | 1 Tourangelle | |

Postpaid

With this special we will include Free 1 Officialis Rubra, pictured on envelope, worth \$1.50.

FM 663 MARY BRAND

Rates 8.7. Early midseason. A vivid crimson with silky sheen. Lovely in the garden and fine for cutting. Free bloomer, on strong erect stems Each \$1.15



FM 679 QUEEN OF HAMBURG

Rates 8.96. Midseason. Immense flowers, perfectly formed of gleaming rose-pink on tall, strong stems. Blooms freely. Each \$2.50

FM 690 TOURANGELLE

Rates 9.4. Late. Large flowers of glowing luminous light salmon-pink. Its high rating proves its beauty and value. Often sold much higher..... Each \$1.00





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TOP RANKING IRIS

Each year the American Iris Society select the favorite 100 Iris in all America. To be in this list a variety must be extra good. All Iris on this page rate well in this list. **Postpaid.**

FM 429 LADY MOHR. Simply huge flowers of the most unusual colors, the standards are white toned orchid-lavender through a faint yellow. The falls are chartreuse. The entire flower sparkles and glitters as though dusted with minute diamonds. In its color ranks highest and of the 100 all colors it ranks No. 6. A "must-have"Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

FM 484 OLA KALA. Of the many hundreds of Iris in the world, Ola Kala is rated number one by the American Iris Society. What more can we say. A Dykes Medal Winner. It is an intense golden yellow and a tremendous bloomer on tall, well branched sturdy stemsEach \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

FM 443 PINK CAMEO. Rated the highest of the fabulous Flamingo Pinks and ranks 11th of all colors. We are proud that we have enough so we can offer it to our customers this year. Grows 36 inches tall, well branched, strong stems, free blooming. A luminous pure pink with a deep tangerine beard to make it even brighterEach \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75

FM 444 ROCKET. You will gasp with joy when you first see this Iris in bloom. A brilliant orange that simply takes your breath away, it's so lovely. Free blooming, strong branches, 36 inches tallEach \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00

FFM 478 TOP RANKING SPECIAL

1 Lady Mohr 1 Ola Kala 1 Rocket

All 3 for Only \$2.75

We will include without extra charge 1 Pink Cameo worth \$1.50, a total value of \$5.50 for only \$2.75, exactly half price.

Inter-State's IRIS

Plant Iris as early as you can, so that the roots get well established before winter. Select a sunny spot and plant the bulb (rhizome) shallow so that it is covered with only an inch of soil with the root extending downward. If the ground is dry, water every week. Protect with a mulch the first winter. *All Iris are **Postpaid.**

FM 425 ARAB CHIEF. The rare brilliance of the bright burnt-orange flowers is indescribable. Vigorous plant, freely produces the large flowers of perfect form on well branched stems.

Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

FM 427 BLUE RHYTHM. The lovely blue flowers have absolutely perfect form, and come on strong, well branched stems. A winner of the Dykes Medal, the highest honor an Iris can win, and ranks fourth nationally. Just two years ago this Iris sold for \$3.00 each. This year the price is very reasonable.

Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

FM 428 CLOTH OF GOLD. Another year's bloom just proves again that this is one of the finest golden yellows. A tremendous bloomer on tall, well branched stems. Perfect form, sparkling color.

Each 75c; 3 for \$2.00

FM 473 ROSIRED. A new Iris from California created by that genius Mr. Tom Craig. Not a brown-red like so many of the red Iris but a brilliant, luminous rosy red as the name implies. Grows 40 inches tall, very free blooming, good branching habits, giving you more flowers. Neither the picture nor words can begin to describe this new beauty of the Iris world. Be one of the first to have a truly different red Iris in your garden.

Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00

FFM 476 ROSIRED SPECIAL

1 Arab Chief 1 Blue Rhythm 1 Cloth of Gold

All 3 for Only \$2.15

1 new Rosired included without extra charge.



Pink Cameo

FALL BLOOMING IRIS

These unusual Iris bloom like other Iris in the spring and then bloom again in the fall right up to frost. **Postpaid.**

FM 557 BOUNTIFUL BLUE. Flowers so freely produced it is simply a solid mass of violet-blue both spring and fall.

Each 40c; 3 for \$1.00

FM 559 KANSAS INGLESIDE. One of the reddest of all Iris. Blooms freely both spring and late fall . . . Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25

FM 560 SANGREAL. This bright yellow blooms very freely both spring and fall . . . Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25

FM 561 WHITE AUTUMN KING. Lovely snow-white flowers freely produced both spring and fall . . . Each 40c; 3 for \$1.00

FFM 550 One Each of Above 4 Fall Blooming Iris \$1.45

FFM 551 Five Mixed Fall Blooming Iris for Only \$1.25

Inter-State's SELECTED MIXED IRIS

These are not the Baby or Fall-Blooming Iris but the majestic, large-flowered, tall growing varieties. Not grown as mixed Iris but selected by us from varieties of which there is a surplus. If bought by name they would cost much more as we always include some of the higher priced kinds. When they bloom you will recognize some of them. A great value for you who like fine Iris but do not want to bother keeping track of the names. **Postpaid.**

FFM 414 Five Selected, Mixed Iris for Just \$1.35

With each mixed collection we will include without extra cost, one **ROCKET**, the new brilliant orange Iris which sells for \$2.00 if bought by itself.



ATTRACTIVE BABY IRIS

These are dwarf growing varieties of Iris that bloom so early in the spring. Especially fine for border planting, require little or no care and come up year after year, continuing to multiply and increase in beauty each passing year. Very nice to have at "May-Basket Time" when other flowers are so scarce.

FFM 399 Five Attractive Baby Iris, Mixed Colors, for \$1.25, Postpaid.

PLANT *Inter-State's* LILIES

*This Fall for Beautiful Flowers Next Spring,
Summer and Fall*

Be sure to winter-mulch Lilies with lawn rakings, straw, etc. This prevents alternate freezing and thawing. All these Lilies will bloom this coming season. All Lilies are **POSTPAID.**

FB 68 AURATUM LILY. American grown. These are the true *Platyphyllum*, the finest strain of the Auratum, Gold Banded Lilies. Strong growing, wide-leaved type producing immense blooms, 7 to 9 inches across, as many as 15 flowers on a 5- to 6-foot stem. The American-grown cost more but are well worth it as they are disease resistant, coming up year after year with more and more flowers each year. Plant 7 inches deep in rich soil

Each \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00

FB 80 CRIMSON BEAUTY. Blooms freely in early summer, in upright clusters, on stems 18 to 20 inches tall. After becoming established, will have as many as 25 crimson flowers on a single stem. Plant 7 inches deep. Very hardy.

Each 50c 3 for \$1.35

FB 83 PHILIPPINE LILY, White Excelsior (*Formosanum*). A new, improved strain with larger, purer white flowers. Blooms from late summer to frost. Trumpet-shaped, fragrant flowers, 7 to 8 inches long on 4- to 6-foot stems. Plant 7 to 8 inches deep in full sun or part shade. Hardy to northern Iowa.

Each 50c 3 for \$1.35 6 for \$2.35

FB 84 RED CORAL LILY (*Tenuifolium*). Thrives everywhere. The small, fragrant, bright red flowers are so attractive in late spring and early summer. Grow 18 to 24 inches tall. Plant 5 inches deep.

Each 30c 3 for 70c 5 for \$1.00 12 for \$2.00

FB 69 CASCADE HYBRID MADONNA LILY

(*Candidum*)

American-grown. Pictured below. This is the finest strain of the oldest Lily in cultivation. The flowers are delightfully fragrant, much larger than pictured and pure snow-white. Plant early this fall in a sunny, well drained spot. Cover with not more than an inch or two of soil. Mulch lightly over winter. Far better and longer lived than imported bulbs.

Each 60c 3 for \$1.50 6 for \$2.85





Enchantment

LOVELY RUBRUM LILY

FB 65. Flowers are larger than pictured below. Many think this the most beautiful of all the hardy Lilies. The flowers are bright pink edged white with small maroon spots. Blooms in August and September on strong stems 3 to 4 feet tall. The reflexed wavy flowers are lovely in the garden and also when used as a cut flower. **THEY WILL BLOOM NEXT SUMMER.** Plant in well drained soil, 8 inches deep. These bulbs are grown by us at Hamburg. Plant freely at this very low price. **Postpaid.**

Each 50c 3 for \$1.35 6 for \$2.50

Rubrum



Thrive From
Coast to Coast

Exciting

ENCHANTMENT

FB 87. (Plant Patent No. 862). Mr. Jan de Graaff considers this the most prolific, vigorous and one of the most beautiful of all his Lily creations. In late June and early July, it is a blaze of color, a vivid rosy flame that will bring sparkling beauty to your garden. Great heads of flowers, 4 to 5 inches across, on strong stems 3 to 4 feet tall. Thrives from Coast to Coast, hardy, disease-resistant, will come up year after year. Plant this fall 7 inches deep in a well drained spot. **WILL BLOOM NEXT SUMMER. Postpaid.**

Selected Bulbs, Each 75c 3 for \$1.95 6 for \$3.45 12 for \$5.95



Giant Olympic

GIANT OLYMPIC

Giant Olympic was also created by Jan de Graaff and without doubt is one of the greatest of all garden Lilies. Huge trumpet-shaped flowers, 7 to 9 inches long and 5 to 6 inches across on husky stems 4 to 6 feet tall. Overshadowing the old Regal Lily because of their broader and larger flowers and pyramidal flower heads, they are becoming the most popular trumpet Lily. The flowers vary in color from pure white through cream, pink and soft green. Starts blooming in July and continues for several weeks. Plant in a well drained spot 7 inches deep, in full sun or part shade. **WILL BLOOM NEXT SUMMER**, the larger size bulbs producing more flowers. Once planted, they last for years, becoming more beautiful each passing year. **Postpaid.**

FB 79. Selected Large Bulbs, Each 60c 3 for \$1.50 6 for \$2.75

FB 79A. Standard Bulbs, Each 50c 3 for \$1.25 6 for \$2.25

ENCHANTMENT SPECIAL—Postpaid

Enchantment	}	FFB 77. 1 Each of All 3 for	\$1.65
Golden Chalice			
Giant Olympic, Large		FFB 78. 3 Each of All 3 for	\$4.25

GARDEN OF LILIES—Postpaid

Enchantment	Golden Chalice	Rubrum
Giant Olympic, Large	Regal	

FFB 71. 1 Each of All 5 for \$2.25

We will include without extra charge, 1 Hardy Amaryllis worth 60c.

FFB 72. 3 Each of All 5 for \$5.95

We will include without extra charge, 3 Hardy Amaryllis worth \$1.45

New Lilies! Plant This Fall Bloom Next Summer

GOLDEN CHALICE

FB 74. Golden Chalice is another magnificent new Hybrid Garden Lily created by Jan de Graaff. The color ranges from clear lemon-yellow through the warm shades of bright yellow and gold. Large clusters of brilliant flowers, 4 to 5 inches across, in June on strong stems 1½ to 2 feet tall. A healthy, hardy, vigorous grower that will thrive all over America. Plant 7 inches deep in sun or part shade and it will come up year after year, increasing in beauty and flowers. **WILL BLOOM NEXT SUMMER. Postpaid.**

Selected Bulbs, Each 60c 3 for \$1.50 6 for \$2.75



Golden Chalice

REGAL LILY—America's Favorite

FB 85. This is America's most popular hardy garden Lily. Blooms in June-July on stems 3 to 4 feet tall. Great clusters of the lovely flowers, fragrant, snow-white with a golden throat and tinged pink on the outside. Plant 7 inches deep in a well drained spot, in sun or part shade. These large bulbs will bloom next summer and will come up year after year increasing in number and beauty. **Postpaid.**

Large Bulbs, Each 30c 3 for 75c 6 for \$1.35

HARDY AMARYLLIS—Surprise Lily

FB 151. Hardy Amaryllis (*Lycoris Squamigera*). This amazing bulb produces attractive green foliage in the spring. The foliage then dies down. In August, the flower stalks shoot up 2 feet tall with large Lily-shaped flowers, a lovely orchid-pink. There are often 8 to 12 flowers on a single stem. Perfectly hardy here but we do not advise planting in cold states like Minnesota, Dakotas, etc. Plant 4 to 5 inches deep with a winter mulch to prevent alternate thawing and freezing. The bulb multiplies, so each passing year there are more flowers. **Postpaid.**

Each 60c 3 for \$1.45 6 for \$2.50

SPRING-TO-FROST LILY SPECIAL

1 Crimson Beauty	1 Golden Chalice	1 Red Coral
1 Enchantment	1 Hardy Amaryllis	1 Regal
1 Giant Olympic, large	1 Philippine	1 Rubrum

FFB 67 All 9 for \$3.65 (\$4.65 value)

Flowers spring, summer and fall.

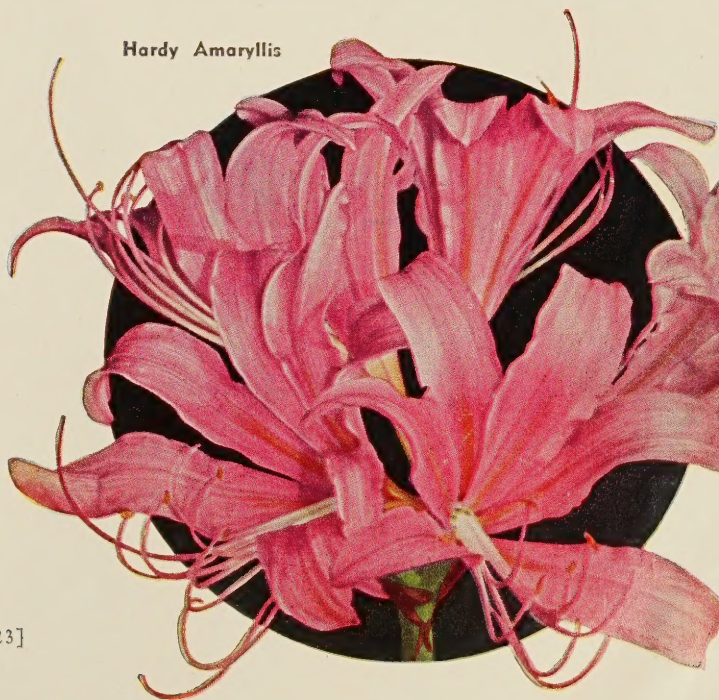


Regal Lily

IMPORTANT—WINTER MULCH

All Lilies, Poppies, Daffodils, Hyacinths, Iris, Dutch Iris, Phlox and all stock planted in the fall should have a winter mulch of some loose material like lawn rakings, straw, excelsior, to prevent alternate freezing and thawing.

Hardy Amaryllis





King Alfred
Daffodil
(Narcissus)

GLORIOUS *Red Emperor*

FB 366. Huge flowers, up to 9 inches across, of brilliant scarlet-crimson, probably the showiest and largest of all Tulips. It blooms real early, one of the first Tulips to bloom, about 15 inches tall. It is our most popular variety and we import them from Holland in hundred thousand lots, and still we seldom have enough. Plant these 6 to 7 inches deep, 6 inches apart, in sun or semi-shade. But the color always seems a little brighter if they get afternoon shade. The bulbs are not as large as the other varieties but the flowers are enormous and they are **GUARANTEED TO BLOOM NEXT SPRING.** At these low prices you can plant a large bed this fall. Next spring and for years they will be the sensation of your neighborhood. **Postpaid.**

3 for 60c 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85 25 for \$3.25

If you want to enjoy these beautiful flowers next spring, you must plant the bulbs this fall. Take time now to look over carefully this fall catalog.

See Page 2 for Premiums

King Alfred

KING OF THE DAFFODILS

This grand Daffodil, the most popular in all America, is planted by the millions. Blooming in early spring, their bright golden yellow flowers are so welcome. With perianth measuring up to 4 inches and the trumpet 2 inches or more, it rates high among the fine yellow trumpet Daffodils. Perfectly hardy, they will come up year after year, increasing in number and beauty. Lovely in the garden and fine for cutting. So fragrant that a small bouquet will perfume a room. Plant them this fall, 7 inches deep, a foot apart, in beds or borders, in front and among the shrubs, trees and perennials. Plant a large bed of King Alfred this fall and they will be the show-place of your garden next spring and for years to come. These are extra fine, highest quality bulbs. Both sizes will bloom next spring but the larger bulbs will produce more flowers. **Postpaid.**

FB 280. LARGE SIZE. 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.65; 50 for \$4.75; 100 for \$7.95

FB 280A. STANDARD SIZE. 5 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.95; 50 for \$3.65; 100 for \$6.25

KING ALFRED and RED EMPEROR SPECIALS

Both bloom at the same time, making a grand early spring showing. Plant the King Alfred behind the Red Emperor.

FFB 288.	6 Red Emperor	} \$1.25
	3 King Alfred, large	
		Postpaid
FFB 289.	12 Red Emperor	} \$2.15
	6 King Alfred, large	
		Postpaid
FFB 287.	24 Red Emperor	} \$3.85
	12 King Alfred, large	
		Postpaid



Red Emperor
Tulip